

BIGSANDY NEWS.

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FRIDAY, Jan. 10, 1901.

Announcements.

CONGRESS. The friends of Rowland C. Burns here to announce that he is a candidate for Congress in this district in 1902, subject to the action of the Republican party. He believes that a mountain man is as good as any one.

Gov. Beckham has renewed the reward of \$300 for the arrest and conviction of Tipton Day who has been defying the Menifee county authorities for two years.

A London paper advises Britain to form a working alliance with Germany "in order to check the continued and apparently inevitable advance of the United States into South America."

Thomas B. Reed, ex-speaker of the House, is said to be in line for a position in the Cabinet. Circumstances tend to connect his name with the rumor that Secretary of State Hay will soon resign.

Appellate Judge Thomas H. Paynter, who was succeeded as Chief Justice Monday by Judge B. L. D. Guffy, has announced that he will be a candidate for re-election to the Court of Appeals next November.

Judge George DuBelle, Judge of the Court of Appeals from the Louisville district, has authorized the announcement that he will be a Republican candidate to succeed himself on the Appellate bench. It is said that Mr. John B. Baskin may also seek the Republican nomination.

The Kentucky Educational Association adopted a resolution to ask the coming Legislature to amend the school law so as to abolish the third class certificate; make the county the taxing unit; give the school district temporary authority to vote a tax to build school houses, and revamp the trustee system in important particulars.

OBITUARIES.

Lucinda OBryan, the wife of Owon OBryan, was born Feb. 15, 1901. Her age was 61 years. To this union was born 10 children of which two preceded her to that land where no sadness ever comes. She joined the United Baptist church in 1853 and lived a devoted member until she passed over on the other shore.

She always said she did not care to die after her children were all married off and got homes of their own. About six weeks after the youngest one married she passed quietly away.

She was a good mother to her family and to her aged companion. She will be missed around the hearth stone. She was always willing to help the distressed.

When our life work is done and the King calls us home and saints of all ages we view when friends gone before we see as of yore, Oh, what that be glorious too. Went that be glorious with heaven in view. Blue Hawk.

Sad to say, but God's will be done not cure, on the 25th of December, the death angel again visited our vicinity and took one of our best citizens, Allen P. Hinkle, who was born Sept. 9th 1830. He was married to Elizabeth, daughter of James H. Spencer, Jan. 21st 1850. To this union was born 7 children. There are 25 grand children and two great grandchildren. He joined the United Baptist church at Georgetown 1859 and lived a devoted Christian until death.

He was deacon of the United Baptist church for several years and was a member of Association for 20 years and will be badly missed by the church. He was also a member of the Grand army, and of the Mutual Protection Society and was buried by the M. P. S. according to request. His remains were laid to rest in the old home Grave yard on Meads Branch. He was a man that was a friend to the poor and would feed the hungry.

Just before he passed away he called his family around his bed and said "Children, be good and meet your father in heaven for I will soon be home, praise the Lord." He took them by the hands and told them farewell. He passed away like one going to sleep. He leaves a wife and six children and many friends to mourn. Their loss. A. L. B.

CHARLEY

Married, recently, Pote Compton to Miss Sarah Boyd, the daughter of Anderson Boyd.

Mrs. W. M. Bhaphman is on the sick list.

Ida Burton and Emma Borders visited at River last week.

Our school closed last Friday with a good entertainment. H. S. Dean, the teacher, has taught a good school. He will begin a winter school soon.

We will have side walks here soon.

Cora Burton visited on Little Blaine last week.

The notice of the death of uncle Allen P. Hinkle will be seen in another column.

Cora Burton was at Hoot Sunday.

Sunday School is progressing nicely.

J. J. Griffith received a message recently from his son-in-law, John Hatfield, of Wellston, Ohio, stating that he was in a critical condition caused by his train wrecking. He unfortunately was caught under the cab of the train and lay there three hours before they could get the wrecked train off. The steam scalded his body very badly. He was an engineer.

A. L. Burton will begin his house soon.

CYLIBERTSON

Miss Mamie Rankin, who has been sick for some time, we are sorry to say is no better.

The Fannin has returned from Cincinnati.

Old Santa Claus was at Mrs. Alice Powers' Xmas. The children had a jolly time and a nice dinner next day.

Born to Millard Sperry and wife, a girl.

J. R. Rankin has ordered a new wagon.

Miss Etta Bueck, who has been sick for some time, is slowly improving.

Charley Miller, of Casper, had a candy pulling the night before New Years.

Born to Labe Brown and wife, a girl.

Church at Mt. Zion 2d Saturday and Sunday by G. J. Justice.

Let us hear from Guffy.

LITTLE BLAINE

The officers of Industry Castle No. 22 K. G. K. were installed, as follows:

T. T. Thompson, P. M.; Dr. J. O. Moore, V. L.; H. K. Moore, V. C.; A. L. Moore, H. P.; Wm. Berry, M. of R.; D. J. Moore, K. of R.; W. H. Moore, C. of R.; E. G. McKinsten, V. H.; J. S. Thompson, S. H.

T. T. Thompson went to Georgetown to school and returned in 12 days.

G. C. Hays heard of a registered package at the postoffice the other day, he went to get it and examined it and says he can eat stuffed turkey now.

J. B. Moore went to Ironton recently.

Webster Poe and brother visited their father the other day.

David Justice and D. M. Moore are merchants on our creek. The more the merrier.

Jas. Moore says he can shoot now for he has the gun.

Dora Moore says of all the diseases he ever had a Payne at the heart is the worst of all.

F. M. Moore is teaching a select school at Dist. No. 25.

Jerry Justice is the champion guesser of our creek.

BUSSEYVILLE

We have seen several pass here enroute to Louisa to stand court as witnesses in case of the Commonwealth vs. Dues. Vinton, Jr., for the shooting of Little Blaine Thompson.

Miss Sue Holt has returned to Louisa to take her place in the school.

Miss Eugenie Picklesimer visited in Louisa recently.

Miss Laura B. Digg is visiting her uncle Slusher Carter at Yatesville.

Sam Jobe visited J. H. Jobe Monday evening.

Miss Eva Wellman has returned to her home at Louisa.

R. H. Ransom and son Thaddeus were here Monday looking after live stock.

F. H. Bussey and wife were visiting at Louisa Sunday.

Joseph E. Hutchison, postmaster at Madge, was here Sunday.

Rev. G. W. Howes delivered an excellent sermon here Sunday as his first in the New Year.

It is expected that Rev. E. H. Rice will begin a protracted meeting at the Forks of Little Blaine Saturday night.

We are very sorry to see Uncle Flem, as he is so familiarly known, in such a pitiable condition over carrying the mail on this route.

His horses are worn out, and he is little of the same condition and he tells us he is forced to give up his job, as both health and horse power are frail.

Hucksln Bloss.

VESSIE

The school house at Sand Hill is nearing completion.

V. B. Shortridge went to Catlettsburg Monday.

Howard Barrett is on the sick list.

Isaac Cunningham came home from Rush last week.

Mary Kaffer, the little daughter of Dr. Kaffer, will attend school at Morehead this winter.

Mrs. Lizzie Cunningham entertained a number of her friends at dinner New Years.

Rev. Hutchison preached an interesting sermon at Trinity Sunday.

George Handley and Lindsey Fannin went to A. J. Webb's Monday.

The infant child of Newt Shortridge was brought here for burial Saturday.

T. Hille, who has had typhoid fever, is improving.

Wm. Hille, who has been very sick for several weeks, is able to be out again.

Cale Arthur and wife were the happy recipients of a boy and a girl last week.

J. S. Hille has been confined to his room with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Martha Stewart, of Denton, is staying with her sister Mrs. Joe Barrett.

Bascom Shortridge, of Cat, was here Sunday.

Walter Miller and wife visited at V. B. Shortridge's Sunday.

Prof. J. W. Jackson has moved to Greensburg county.

C. T. Miller is devoting his time to trading horses. He recently traded for one that he says is the best horse he ever saw. He lives on coals and keeps perfectly fat. He shells the corn and sends it to the mill and sells the meal at 75 cents per bushel, and feeds the coals to his horse.

HILLETT

Married on the 29th of last month at the home of the bride's parents, Jas. Frasher to Miss Maggie Nunley.

San Diego, California.

Dec. 26th 1901. Am I right, yes, the calendar says this is December and was yesterday not Christmas, but looking out on the green lawn with here and there a palm upon which the bright warm sun is beating down and looking too thin a window at which green smilax and fuchsias are trailing, is it any wonder that we stop to think if we are right in a date which to us heretofore has suggested snow? Are we to blame when some one comes up to us while we are picking strawberries (as we were yesterday) if we do not wish them a Merry Christmas. To me it seems quite a long while since Christmas, although it is a fact even Santa Claus can live here, yet I think he has abandoned his old time sleigh, and perhaps takes an automobile in California; anyway, Santa Claus has been here, which is the only evidence that it is Christmas. The watermelons which still lie thick in the patch seem all unmindful that they are very much out of season, but tomatoes and green beans are never out of date and can be had from the garden at any time of the year and so can peas, lettuce, onions and spinach.

The orange season is now at its height, tho' there is always to be seen green fruit and blossoms. It takes an orange 12 months to mature, and after they are ripe they will still hang on the trees three or four months. Oranges grown near the beach are not good. The salt water affects them. There is not a season but what there is one or more kinds of fruit to be had. The whole year, even now, which is the scarest fruit season, we still have the strawberries and the quavas with the orange at its best. The loquats come in when these are gone.

Lemons are very prolific here and are also very profitable, but to see the piles that are dumped into the bay and along the roadside you would think they were worth nothing. The fruit growers Association, an organization protecting the grower, will not allow anything but the very best to go on the market, neither will it allow them to cut prices, hence the standard of the fruit as well as price is kept up.

I was temporarily employed as assistant Cashier at Hotel Del Coronado, while the lady took a vacation, and if you will bear with me I will tell you about the Hotel and the Island.

Hotel Del Coronado is the largest seaside resort in the world. It covers five of the twenty acres of its grounds, has 750 rooms, 75 parlors, several dining rooms, the main one having a floor area of 10,000 square feet. There is a ball room with 11,000 square feet of space and an inner court or tropical garden of more than one acre. The Hotel in fact, is a city within itself with its drug store, boots, curio store, barber shop, telegraph office, messenger service, stables, printing office, library, art gallery, dry department, electric light plant, ice plant, water system and grocery, and for the amusement of the guests there are bowling alleys, billiards, the plunge bath, ostrich farm, monkey colony, seal tanks, golf links, steam launches, sail boats, Japanese tea garden etc. so it is not strange that people who have more money than they know what to do with, come here to fling it all away. There are so many things to see and enjoy. The bay is on one side of the Hotel and the Ocean on the other, and sometimes the big waves dash up against the house. Coronado Island is about 3 miles wide and 4 miles long. Has a postoffice, four churches and a graded school, a population of 1200, so you see the Island is quite populated. Coronado is connected with San Diego by electric cars and steam ferry.

This, I think is quite enough about a small Island, but if you will permit me to come again I will say something about San Diego and the ever interesting story of Romona's home Old Town, the Missions, etc. Alice Peters.

PNEUMONIA LA GRIPPE

Pneumonia cured quickly by Foley's Kidney and Urinary Remedy.

LICK CREEK

Preaching at Mary's Chapel Friday evening before the fourth Sunday.

Millon Mayo, of Paintsville, passed up our creek Sunday.

Lower Lick creek school closed Friday. Mr. Skreens taught a good school.

Mrs. Lya Webb, of Thacker, is visiting here.

Miss Edna Jones is attending school at Fallsburg.

L. F. Meek has returned from the west.

Jay See, of two Mills, was here Sunday.

Ira, little son of F. M. See, who got his leg broken, is slowly improving.

Charlie Shannon, who was shot in a fight by some rough neck at Busseyville, is improving. We are glad to say he was not in the fight himself. We can boast of a civil community here. We can go to church without taking our Winchester, shot guns, loaded canoes, etc. Spotted cat.

A HAPPY HOME

Is one where health abounds. With impure blood there cannot be good health. With a disordered LIVER there cannot be good blood.

Tutt's Pills

revivify the torpid LIVER and restore its natural action.

A healthy LIVER means pure blood. Pure blood means health. Health means happiness.

Take no Substitute. All Druggists. Just Across the River in West Virginia.

Catherine Adkins of Danbury, has been granted a pension of \$8.

Attorney Edward T. England, of Logan, was married last week to Miss Huldah Leburg, of Monticello, Iowa.

Jeremiah Ferguson engaged citizen and substantial farmer, whose home was on Gragston creek, near Pharaoh, died last Sunday. He had been ill for some time. The burial was made Tuesday near the home of deceased. —Wayne News.

I. J. Coleman, of Welch, a few days ago lost a pocketbook containing seven hundred dollars worth of checks signed by the Codelane Lumber Company, of Cincinnati. Two of these checks have just turned up one of the banks in Huntington. Mr. Coleman is endeavoring to run down the endorser and it is said will prosecute him. —Wayne News.

Peter Gerlach, employed at the Western Line company's kiln at Huntington while shoveling stone into the top of a furnace, lost his balance and fell headlong. A fellow workman who saw the accident rescued Gerlach, whose face was badly burned and his hair singed. "Green" stone which he had just put into the kiln saved him from being crushed.

The American Bridge Company of New York has brought suit in the U. S. Circuit Court against the Camden Interstate Railway Company for \$10,000 damages. Campbell, Hold & Duncan are the attorneys. It was this company that constructed the bridges across the Twelve Mile and Big Sandy rivers for the electric railway and because of defects, the street railway company withheld that amount.

A dispatch from Fairmont, dated December 26th, says: "Messrs. John A. Clark and A. J. Buchanan have returned from Baltimore, where they closed a deal by which they became owners of two large tracts of coal lands. These tracts comprise a plant at Moundsville, embracing 675 acres of six foot coal, with a daily capacity of 600 tons; and for the plant of the Pearl Mining Company, at Dingoes, W. Va., a four and a half foot coal seam, with a daily capacity of 300 tons. The output of both mines will be doubled."

The Advertiser says: "Superintendent Cole, of the Huntington public schools is in receipt of a letter from Andrew Carnegie, asking for information concerning the city, what the chances were for securing a free site for a public library, and the amount the city would likely expend for its maintenance. Mr. Carnegie contemplates establishing a library here and it is safe to say that the citizens of Huntington will do their part."

LIVER—Huntington will erect an eighty thousand dollar free library building. Andrew Carnegie wires today that he will give \$25,000 toward the institution.

About two weeks ago the larger city papers contained accounts of the killing of three negroes in a saloon at some point upon the N. & W. railroad in W. Va. These accounts had the name of the white man who did the shooting very badly mixed, and it was given several different ways. One said the man was Wayne Danron, a Catlettsburg youth. But this was not true.

It now seems that the man was Glen Moffat Corredo, well known to many people here.

It is said that a number of tough negroes went into the room where Moffat and two or three other white men were, and threateningly ordered them to get out. Moffat shot three of them to death and the others stampeded and got out of the place as quickly as possible. —Ashland Independent.

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any one of "Cattaraugus" that can be secured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CONLEY & CO., Prop., F. J. Conley, of the underground, have known O. J. Conley for the last 15 years, and believe him to be a honorable in all business transactions, and is perfectly able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WEST & TRAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Winding, Kinney & Martin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A LITTLE TALK

Goes a long way with us.

HOW TO BUY WHERE TO BUY WHAT TO BUY

That you may be best served and your money saved, is what we are striving for. The right goods and prices for you, and no worry. Test this in your next purchase. Call for what you want for household, farm, or personal apparel.

COUNTRY PRODUCE WANTED.

The Eloise Improvement Company, J. W. JONES Manager, LOUISA, KY.

Stoves

And other cold weather Hardware.

Prices Always Reasonable.

Coffins, Caskets, Robes, &c.

Largest and best line in the Big Sandy Valley.

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Mill Machinery

We can sell you any kind or part of a mill and save you money.

Farm Machinery Is one of our specialties. Don't fail to consult us.

Wagons, Buggies, Harness.

We can supply all your wants in this line.

BROS., Kentucky.

PUSHING WATCHES

More attention is now being given to the sale of watches at Conley's than ever before. This particular branch of the business is being PUSHED.

The stock contains all grades, from the fine railroad movements down to the cheapest watches that can be depended upon. Everyone should own a reliable watch. Any other kind is almost a bad as having none at all. Call and let us show you our stock.

CONLEY'S, LOUISA.

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FRIDAY, Jan. 10, 1902.

New Meat Shop.

I have rented the G. W. Gannell meat shop and am prepared to furnish at all times any kind of fresh meat.

Beef, Pork & Sausage.

Have made arrangements with a responsible person to furnish me young corn-fed and am prepared to sell.

The Best on The Market.

Have on hand a large stock of pure CALIFORNIA HONEY.

A Stock of Groceries.

Has been put in and will be carried in connection with my other business.

R. S. CHAFFIN.

"The President called down poor Mike for a feast."

Sing today round robin, round robin, off shall not and cannot be had quite a lot.

Sing today round robin, round robin, he made him aware he must try to be good.

And no matter what happened to sit and saw wool.

Did they ever do this and keep on the stuff.

Down at old Sanger's well, not on your life.

Sing today round robin, round robin.

Fresh head is now supplied by Rod, Huchelt.

C. E. Hensley has again taken charge of the restaurant.

When you want the best fresh bread, go to Rod, Huchelt's.

When Ruffell, the Blaine mail carrier, has moved his family to town.

Sol Mullins died Tuesday night at his home near the mouth of Blaine.

Miss Maggie See has entered school at Paducahville on the Wheatley offer.

The Louisa public schools resumed Monday after a vacation of four weeks.

Ferguson & Stone have just completed the painting of the court house fence.

Was there—To buy 2000 Hickory and Dogwood poles delivered at Louisa.

When you come to town go to Hensley's restaurant and get a good meal at a reasonable price.

Buy Drew Sellsy & Co's Ladies celebrated shoe shoes. You get value and wear.

A. J. LOAR & Co.

Plenty of sterling silver at Conleys. Several patterns in tea sets, and a large variety of single spoons.

Bring your watches and clocks to A. O. Craven, at Conley's store, and have them put in first class condition.

B. S. Chaffin has moved into his residence on Lock Avenue. George Figg moved to the house vacated by Al Wellman.

A. J. LOAR & Co., sole agents for C. M. Henderson & Co., celebrated mens line shoes. Made from select stock. They fit and wear.

If you want an organ go to the Louisa Furniture Company and see their prices and prices. We have the money for John A. Jones of Huntington.

Earl McInnes entertained several of his young friends Thursday evening of last week, and left Friday for Danville where he is attending Center College.

There will be a meeting of the F. B. C. next Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Trice Ferguson. Important business to be attended to and all members are requested to be present.

The Bank of Louisa makes a splendid showing on the business of the past six months. A dividend of five per cent was paid and a considerable sum remains as undivided profits.

O. S. Hartman has gone to Pike county to take charge of an engineering party for J. C. Mayo. James Carey left Saturday to accept a position with one of Mr. Mayo's surveying parties.

The friends of Mr. G. W. Castle, of this place, will be pleased to learn that he has received an increase in salary from \$1000 to \$1200 per year. He holds a position in the Treasury department at Washington.

Sam J. Picklesimer and Miss Esther Roberts were married Jan. 1st, a few miles from Louisa. The bride is a daughter of R. E. Roberts, and the groom is a school teacher, a grandson of our townsman, John Picklesimer.

Chin Nickels, of Blaine, was here Tuesday evening on his way home from the Philippines, where he has served in the army for quite a while. One of his legs was amputated there on account of pneumonia.

E. W. Grove

Signature on every box of the genuine **Exaltine Bromo-Quinine Tablets** remedy that cures a cold in one day.

CIRCUIT COURT

The Case of Coon Kinner Now on Trial.

The Lawrence Circuit Court convened last Monday. Judge Kinner was absent, being at the St. Louis, Ark., in the Court building.

The bar elected G. W. Stages as special Judge. Prosecution in the case of Coon Kinner was postponed Monday, but left on Tuesday for Frankfort and does not intend to return during this term of court.

The arrangement for J. H. Rife to take his place, Mr. Rife is assisted by G. E. Fugitt, County Attorney.

A few misdemeanor cases were tried, previous to reaching the felony cases. That of Coon Kinner, charged with manslaughter, came up Wednesday and both sides announced ready for trial. The work of securing a jury was not completed until eleven o'clock yesterday, and the case is still on trial as we go to press. The jury is composed of Wm. Carey, Roscoe Burton, M. D. Perkins, M. G. Watson, Dave Hughes, Knott Thompson, Smith Hicks, Gann Berry, Jim Fugitt, Winfield Edwards, and Dan Hanchel, Amos Wheeler.

South K. P. C. was indicted for the murder of Life Hicks and the case is set for next Tuesday.

The case against Dick Alston, Jr., was called yesterday and passed until Monday on account of the Kinner case being on trial.

GIVEN JURY: John Spencer, Foreman; John Roberts, Ed. Sweeney, John E. Higgins, A. J. Pennington, Robert Niece, Wm. Shannon, Mike B. Thompson, Buford Danley, Frank White, John D. Bann, and Henderson Thompson.

PERRY JURY: John E. Gartin, Wm. Beldar, Wm. B. O'Neal, Garland Moore, A. L. Shepard, D. W. Hickey, Roland Judd, Isaac Adams, St. Jas. H. Compton, Milton Mead, Charley Hinkle, Thos. Deap, Phos. J. Hranston, James O. Caperton, Winfield S. Edwards, Allen T. Webb, Wm. J. Burton, W. A. Caley, Smith Hicks, Roscoe Burton, Ed. Boyd, B. Amos Wheeler, Richard F. Young, Wm. Carey.

Sheriff Cattle has appointed the following deputies:

Mit Evans, Jesse Cyrus, Jas. W. Preston, London Thompson, Wm. Taylor, W. M. Stone, M. G. Thompson.

The board of supervisors of the county tax books began work Monday. The board is composed of Wm. H. Woods, Hanchel, Preston, Sam Hensley, W. N. Sullivan and Cox Carter.

County Clerk Skoons has appointed the following deputies:

Frank Wellman, Jas. Curran, H. C. Blankenship, Jas. H. Skages, Thos. Hensley, L. P. Webb, D. L. Giles, Robt Dixon, W. H. C. Kinsler, R. H. Morris, F. H. Webb.

The Louisa Loan and Building Association started its tenth series of stock last Saturday night, and elected the following officers for this term:

President, Angus Snyder; Vice President, G. W. Gannell; Secretary, M. S. Burns; Treasurer, A. M. Hughes; Directors, Ang. Snyder, G. W. Gannell, W. N. Sullivan, A. J. Loar and M. F. Conley.

The W. C. T. U. held a meeting at the M. E. Church, South, Wednesday evening. An interesting program consisting of music, select readings by Mrs. Rice, Miss Ida Phillips, Mrs. J. M. Holand and Miss Minnie Stone, and an interesting address by Rev. G. W. Howes, was rendered. R. T. Burns also gave a good talk. The Junior Order attended in a body.

Edmund Ross, son of Walter Ross, who lives near Wilbur, this county, accidentally shot and killed a mule that belonged to his father, a few days ago. While riding the mule along the road he attempted to fire the revolver just above the animal's head. It is said the animal threw up his head about the time the boy pulled the trigger. The ball caught the mule just right to cause instant death, and he dropped before the boy could get off. The pistol used was an old 11 caliber army weapon. The mule was valued at \$150.

Mrs. W. A. Berry, A. H. Moore and J. R. Hartman, of Ashland, have under treatment a very serious and particularly sad case. The patient is Jay Short, son of J. C. Short who lives about three miles from here.

Several months ago his foot was injured by a cut or bruise, and soon afterward found poisoning set in. His condition was very serious for awhile, but he became some better after a slight operation or two.

Lately he has been getting worse and Thursday of last week he was again taken to Ashland. The physicians found the blood in the small bone between the knee and ankle in a decayed condition, and removed it. A bone in the left hand is in the same condition and will probably have to be removed. The boy will be a cripple even if he recovers.

The operation was very painful, but he is resting easier. He is at the home of his aunt, Mrs. W. A. Berry, and his mother is with him.

Engineer B. F. Thomas

Appointed Chief Assistant to Major Ruffner at Cincinnati.

Assistant F. S. Engineer B. F. Thomas has been appointed Chief Assistant to U. S. Engineer E. H. Ruffner, and his headquarters will be in Cincinnati. He will gather next Tuesday and take up his duties on Wednesday.

This is a new position which has just been created under all the United States Engineers of the counties who are in charge of important districts. Much responsibility goes with the place. The Chief Assistants will be practically in charge of the active operations in their districts.

We are glad to see the position given to Mr. Thomas, who is so thoroughly competent to discharge all the duties. His appointment is a recognition of his ability and an evidence of his high standing in the service.

The position on the Kanawha will probably go to Assistant Engineer Jeffries, who has been connected with that work for many years.

Error in Claim List.

In the certificate in the list of claims, published in the News last week, an error occurs. The certificate is for 1900 when it should be 1901. It was not noticed until after the paper was out, and we take this method of correcting it.

Store Changed Hands.

D. C. Spencer has sold his grocery store to Ed Ferguson and Millard Chambers. The new firm took charge Saturday evening. Mr. Spencer has gone to East Liverpool, Ohio, to make an investigation with a view to leaving there.

Dropped Dead.

Covey Carter, an old and well known citizen, died very suddenly Tuesday at his home on Morgan's creek. He was apparently in as good health as usual and went out to chop some wood, when he dropped dead. He was a brother of Jas. "Sash" Carter.

NEW COUNTY OFFICIALS.

The following is a list of the new officers of Lawrence county, who were sworn in last Monday:

County Judge, H. F. Vinson, Clerk, Add Skoons.

Attorney, G. E. Fugitt, Sheriff, Jesse H. Cordle, Jailor, Al Hayes.

Assessor, Chas. Peters, Supt. Schools, R. W. Holbrook, Surveyor, H. B. Highberger, Coroner, J. C. Marcena.

New City Officers.

At the first regular meeting of the new city council of Louisa held last Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

Marshal, Al Wellman; City Clerk, J. A. Shannon; Treasurer, Alexander Lackey; Assessor, R. L. Vinson; Attorney, G. W. Skaggs.

Al Wellman resigned as a member of the council to take the position of Marshal, and J. H. Preston was elected to fill the vacancy.

Wholesale Grocery Firm.

On Saturday evening there were some important transfers of mercantile interests in Louisa. The largest deal was in the wholesale grocery firm of Watson, Dixon, Moore & Co. M. G. Watson sold his one-fourth interest in the business to Robert Dixon. Dr. Watson also retired Monday from the office of County Superintendent of Schools, and Mr. Dixon's term as County Clerk expired.

Dr. Watson has not yet decided upon what business he will engage in. He is said to have under consideration propositions at this place and also at Ashland.

The wholesale grocery business is still in good hands and will continue to thrive. The first year's business was very satisfactory.

The residence of H. C. Sammons came near being destroyed by fire Friday. A large amount of wood had been piled into a fire-place and the roof took fire from the embers that went out of the chimney. A large crowd gathered when the alarm was sounded and the flames were soon extinguished.

Mrs. S. B. Chapman, of Huntington, is very seriously ill. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Porter, and her sister, Mrs. Henry Style, left this morning for that point. Mrs. Chapman was formerly Miss Ida Porter, of this city, and she has many friends here who will regret to learn of her illness.—Ashland Independent.

Mrs. Chapman is a sister of Mrs. T. H. Phillips and formerly lived here.

CHILDREN POISONED.

Many children are poisoned and made nervous and weak if not killed outright by mothers giving them cough syrups containing opiates. Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and lung troubles and is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiates or other poisons.

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CHAIRMAN BURTON

May Visit Big Sandy Valley to Investigate.

Representative Burton, of Ohio, chairman of the Rivers and Harbors Committee, may visit the Big Sandy river next month before the Rivers and Harbors Bill is introduced in the House. A number of citizens of the Ninth and the Tenth districts are anxious for him to personally inspect the river before reaching a conclusion upon the amount of appropriation to be given. He has been invited and it is believed he will accept.

It is sincerely hoped he will come, as a visit would convince him of the great wealth of the Big Sandy Valley and the need of the improvement of the river. Numerous efforts have been made to get the Rivers and Harbors committee to make a tour of inspection up this way, but so far they have been unsuccessful.

The many friends of G. H. Hansen, Engineer, L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He writes: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney cure which I recommended to all especially railroad men who are usually similarly afflicted."

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PERSONALS.

F. P. Hager was here this week. W. W. Marcum, of Ceredo, was here Tuesday.

M. J. Mayo, of Paintsville, was here Saturday.

Rev. J. D. Garrett, of Wayne, was in Louisa Tuesday.

Elwood Kinner, Greenup's leading merchant, is in Louisa.

Barny Reynolds is at home from Cincinnati for a few days.

B. F. Thomas, of Charleston, spent Sunday here with his family.

Mr. B. Crutcher, of Logansport, Indiana, visited Louisa friends last week.

J. W. M. Stewart, of Ashland, and R. C. Burns, of Catlettsburg, are attending court here.

J. W. Yates was here Wednesday returning to White House from a business trip to Catlettsburg.

U. S. Prince, traveling salesman for D. A. Lettingwell & Co., Ashland, was in Louisa Wednesday.

Rev. Chas. H. Campbell, of Ravenswood, W. Va., was the guest of his brother, A. M. Campbell, last week.

Mrs. Robert H. Burchett left Tuesday afternoon for East Liverpool, Ohio, where she will visit her niece, Miss Virginia Burchett.

Miss Inez Wall, of Huntington, and Mr. Spencer, of Utah, arrived Wednesday evening to visit their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Loar.

Col. Northrup, P. H. Vaughan and A. J. Loar went to Catlettsburg yesterday to attend a meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Big Sandy National Bank.

The prevention of consumption is entirely a question of commencing the proper treatment in time. Nothing is so well adapted to ward off fatal lung troubles as Foley's Honey and Tar.

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to Secretary of State Hill with the compliments of the Democratic committee of Pike and a resolution of that committee that in the event of a deadlock in the senatorial race Mr. Lawson should nominate Judge Hill."

Judge S. S. Savage, of Ashland is in the city enroute to Philadelphia. "Ashland," said Judge Savage tonight, "has withdrawn all opposition to Catlettsburg as a place of holding court in the eastern judicial district. I think Ashland would make much the better point, but if we push our claims now it may simply result in losing the court for both cities. Later when the question of a public building arises we will of course ask that Ashland be designated as the place for holding court."

Judge Savage is accompanied by State Representative Stafford of Martin and Johnson, and Mr. John Rebs, of Paintsville.—Washington dispatch to Courier-Journal.

The Standard Oil Company, operating on Beaver creek, in Floyd county, struck a rich flow in a new well Saturday which came near proving a gusher at only 800 feet. It is claimed it will produce 700 barrels or more per day.

Three new wells were started Monday near the Martin well, or well No. 1, the first well ever bored in the Beaver creek valley by Joel Martin. The three will be completed in the course of a month. The Standard is now making preparations to do extensive boring in their new territory along Rockhouse creek and Camp Branch, in that county, and Carr's Fork and Trouble creek, in Knott county, which are believed to be directly in the Beaver creek belt. The three wells sunk in the outskirts of Hindman, the county seat of Knott, are splendid paying wells. The New Domain Oil and Gas Company is operating the Hindman territory.—Special to Courier-Journal.

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Cures any PAIN Inside or Out

Any Kind of Inflammation

Rheumatism, Colic, Dysentery, Flux, and all Bowel Disorders.

Cuts, Burns, Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Swellings, Stings and Bites, Poison Ivy, Scalds, Eczema, Toothache, Neuralgia, etc. Druggists everywhere, 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

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Send a photo of the type with 25c and I will return the same with a hand painted Photo Button, medium size. Or send a stamp for illustrated circulars of photo buttons and photo jewelry. Jones the photographer, Louisa, Ky.

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In all the cases there should be considered.

Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh of the nose and throat, and every ailment of the head and throat.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate in a few minutes. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents; Small Size, 25 cents; by mail, 10 cents; by mail, 10 cents; by mail, 10 cents.

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That man has little reason to expect the world's patronage who sits in solemn dignity, with folded arms, in the chimney corner. . . .

To be Known He Must Come Out of His Shell.

That's why for so Many Years, in Season and out we have so persistently advertised. We sincerely believe that it's to the public advantage to trade with us; and that we can adduce substantial reasons for the faith that is in us. Hence, what's more reasonable than to furnish facts and figures in support of such contention? Day in and day out we do.

HERE ARE SOME MORE:

Dutch Shoes, 6 to 8, 1st quality, 35c.
" " 9 to 13, 45c.
" " 13 to 2, 55c.
" " women's size, 65c.
Infants Shoes, 25c kind, 15c.
Mens Brogan Shoes, 75c.
Mens fine shoes, good and heavy enough for winter, \$1.00

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GREAT BARGAINS.

SUITS, OVERCOATS

Greatest Bargains ever offered in Eastern Kentucky.

A. J. LOAR & Co.

QUARTERLY REPORT

Of the Bank of Louisa, at the Close of Business on

on the 31st Day of December 1901.

Never Borrow A Tooth-brush

Nor Use Any Soap But Your Own

Loathsome skin diseases are contracted by using the cheap scented soaps with which the market is crowded. We have soap that contains no adulterations. People who are careful to avoid disease no more think of using the soap they find in use in public places than they would of borrowing a tooth-brush from the chambermaid. We also have tooth-brushes of all grades except the second-hand kind.

Medicines & Toilet Articles

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CHEAP PRINTING

Is a specialty at this office. We do not mean Cheap Quality of Stationery and Inferior Printing. We mean The Best at The Lowest Prices.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Miss Eva Savage, of Bear Creek, and Mr. G. B. Stewart of Cannonsburg were married today at Mayville.

Joe Mitchell, aged 67 years, died at Catlettsburg Tuesday. He had been in poor health for about a year.

Conductor Jack Johnson writes home from Thacker that his "nuth" condition is still very critical. After a long siege of typhoid fever he now has heart trouble and her death at any time would not be unexpected. Her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Butler who has also been sick is getting better.—Ashland Independent.

A dispatch from Frankfort says: Representative Lawson, of Pike county, brought to Frankfort with him a watch guard made from the skin of a ground hog killed by a Republican of that county who supported the Democratic ticket in the last election. He presented it

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Unexcelled by any other. Reduces cost of your harness. Never burns the leather; its efficiency is increased. Secures best service. Stitches kept from breaking.

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Overdrafts secured, 125.00
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Due from National Banks, \$20,000.00
Due from State Banks and Bankers, 2,500.00
Banking house and bond, 2,000.00
Other Real Estate, 6,000.00
Savings, 6,000.00
Currency, 1,000.00
Other items carried as cash, 300.00
Furniture and fixtures, 600.00
Revenue stamps, 100.00
Total, \$110,525.00

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in, in cash, \$50,000.00
Surplus fund, 5,000.00
Undivided profits, 1,000.00
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid), \$5,000.00
Demand certificates of deposits, 1,000.00
Due National Banks, \$10,000.00
Total, \$110,525.00

SUPPLEMENTARY

Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent. of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of the bank, \$0.00

Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent. of paid up capital stock of bank, \$0.00

Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 20 per cent. of paid up capital and actual surplus, \$0.00

Amount of last dividend, \$100.00

Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent. of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared, \$20.00

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

